

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 597

By McNally

A RESOLUTION to commend Ryan E. Cox for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session this body is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, Ryan E. Cox is one such individual who has distinguished himself in his role as a legislative intern for Lieutenant Governor Randy McNally; Mr. Cox's work has resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators he assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, a student at the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, where he is highly regarded by his peers, Ryan Cox has achieved academic success while majoring in political science with a minor in business administration and participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including the Volshop advisory committee and the parking appeals board; he has also earned the Service to Humanity Award for 300 hours of community service; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize himself with the characteristics and complexities of Tennessee State government and to further his studies, Mr. Cox brought his many abilities and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2019 session of the One Hundred Eleventh General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2019 legislative session, he has surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern; and

WHEREAS, Ryan Cox has performed his many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED ELEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend Ryan E. Cox for outstanding service as a legislative

intern for Lieutenant Governor Randy McNally and extend to him our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.